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**CIRCUIT AND CDR** )  
**CIRCUIT** )  
Art Unit: **2816** )  
Examiner: **Khareem E. Almo** )  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of August 6, 2007, the Applicant submits the following Amendment and remarks. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.